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Application No. 10/039,054
Reply to Final Office Action of November 16, 2006
Attorney Docket: 42P12867

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)	
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Rajeev K. Nalawadi, et al.)	Examiner: Bae, Ji H.
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Serial No.: 10/039,054)	Group Art Unit: 2115
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Filed: December 31, 2001)	
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For: Method and Apparatus for Generating)	
SMI From ACPI ASL Control Code to)	
Execute Complex Tasks)	
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding final office action dated November 16, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following Amendment and Remarks. A request for a one month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being submitted concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0221.